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CHAPTER 151.

AN ACT to create section 4560a—8, statutes of 1898, relating to fish houses on ice.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. There is added to the statutes of 1898, a new section to read:

SECTION 2. [Following section 4560-8.]

SECTION 3. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

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CHAPTER 152.

AN ACT to amend section 925—180, statutes of 1898, relating to the assessment of damages for paving streets.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 925—180, statutes of 1898, is amended to read:

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of the statutes, shall be issued, and further proceedings in regard thereto shall be taken, in accordance with the provisions of this act.

(Ch. 235, 1907.)

Cities other than first class: membership of reviewing boards. Section 925—139. 1. In cities of the first class, the mayor, clerk, tax commissioner and assessor or assessors shall constitute a board of review, and in all other cities the mayor, eity clerk and such other officer or officers, other than assessors, as the common council shall, by ordinance, determine shall constitute a board of review.

2. In all cities except those of the first class the common council, shall, by ordinance, fix the salaries of the members of the board of review. * *

(Ch. 371, 1907.)

Between side walk and curb—park commissioners to control. Section 925—171a. The park commissioners of all cities shall under the direction of the common council have the same jurisdiction and control for park purposes over that part of public streets, lying and being between the curb and the sidewalk as such commission have over the public parks and may cause trees to be planted and cared for, and the proper surface to be sodded, planted or otherwise cared for in the same manner park lands are cared for.

(Ch. 493, 1907.)

Posted notices required for proposed street alterations. Section 925—180. Notice shall be given by the board of public works * * that such report is open for review at their office and will be so continued for the space of * ten days after the date of such notice and that on a day named therein, which shall be not more than three days after the expiration of said * * ten days, said board will be in session to hear all objections that may be made to such report. Such notice shall be published in the official newspaper of the city at least once and one copy of such notice shall be posted in each block of the part of the street proposed to be improved or the grade of which it is proposed to change. Such posted notices shall be printed in type not smaller than pica. Such publication and posting shall be made five days prior to the date of hearing objections as aforesaid. No irregularity in the

form of such report, nor of said notice shall affect its validity if it fairly contains the information required to be conveyed thereby. At the time specified for hearing objections to said report, said board shall hear all parties interested who may appear for that purpose, reduce to writing all objections that may be made and all evidence that may be offered to sustain the same, and may review, modify and correct said report as they deem just; and thereupon a complete and final report shall be made and filed by said board with the city clerk together with all objections and evidence taken before them to sustain the same and proof of publication of said notice and an affidavit of the posting thereof as above specified, which affidavit shall be received in all cases as presumptive evidence of the facts therein stated. No irregularity in the form of said report or manner of conducting the proceedings by said board, or in the proof of publication or in the affidavit of posting shall affect the legality of said report, unless it shall appear that the owners of the property affected by the proceedings were clearly misled by such irregularity and have not had an opportunity to be heard. At such hearing any member of the board may administer oaths as may be necessary in conducting it.

(Ch. 152, 1907.)

Contractors' public improvement certificates: November 1st—15th for filing. Section 925—189. 1. After the expiration of nine months from the date of said certificate the same shall be conclusive evidence of the legality of all proceedings up to and inclusive of the issue thereof, and it may be transferred by indorsement:

- 2. * * This shall not affect any appeal from the report of the board of public works as confirmed by the council.
- 3. If said certificates are not paid before the * * first day of November of the year in which they are issued the same may on or before the fifteenth day of November of said year be filed with the comptroller in cities of the first class and with the city clerk in all other cities, and when so filed the comptroller's statement of special assessments to be placed in the next tax roll shall include an amount sufficient to pay said certificates, with interest thereon at the legal rate from the date of such certificates, to the time when the city treasurer is required to make return of delinquent taxes, and thereafter the same proceedings shall be had as in case of other taxes, except that all moneys collected by the city treasurer and all moneys collected by the